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**How The Fund for American Studies
is Taking Back Our Campuses and
Transforming Journalism**



NYPD Chief of Patrol @NYPDChiefPatrol

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This morning, @nyuniversity & @TheNewSchool requested @nypdnews to clear protesting students on their grounds. "Options" were afforded to the student protesters, with some leaving and 56 choosing arrest. There were no incidents, nor injuries to report. Once again the NYPD was extremely professional in their response!

However, as we have been stating for the past 2 weeks, there is an underlying radical indoctrination of some of these students. Vulnerable and young people being influenced by professional agitators. Who is funding and leading this movement?

We found numerous disturbing pieces of literature in both encampments but wanted to highlight this most disturbing one, clearly stating:

"Death to America!"

DEMANDS

- 1 Divest from Israel and Profiteers of Genocide
- 2 Cut ties with Boeing
- 3 End Repression of Pro Palestine Students Faculty and Staff

Zach Kessel @zach_kessel

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TFAS 2023-24 PUBLIC POLICY FELLOW

Sent from @GWtweets: a man at the encampment carrying a sign that says "Final Solution"

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THE MAINSTREAM MEDIA ARE CORRUPT.

Yes, the mainstream media are corrupt. We've all known it for decades, but few want to admit America's fourth estate has failed the country. The evidence is overwhelming.

From the fiery and dangerous leftist protests that scarred various cities across the nation the past few summers to recent disruptive Pro-Hamas a.k.a. "Pro-Palestine" protests on college campuses, the news stories — the few of them there were — pushed the idea that the protests were "peaceful."

This was and is a lie.

The violence on so many American campuses this spring wasn't just found in the shattered windows and desecrated statues. More significantly, protesters called for violence in the signs they carried and the chants they shouted:

**"Long live the intifada!" ... "We will honor the martyrs!" ...
"Israel will fall!" ... "From the River to the Sea!"**

And most damning of all, signs carried by anti-Israel protesters at George Washington University in Washington, D.C., with the simple but clear words, in all caps:

"FINAL SOLUTION"

That slogan, "Final Solution," should sound familiar. It is the expression Adolf Hitler used to sum up his plan for the "annihilation of the Jews."

Here — on America's campuses — were loud, in-your-face calls for genocide. Here were proud celebrations of the Hamas "martyrs" who raped Jewish women in the streets, beheaded their babies on livestream, and slaughtered over a thousand other innocents during the terrorist organization's barbaric attack on Israel on October 7, 2023.

The hate spewed wasn't only reserved for Israel or "Zionism." Protestors at the University of Michigan shared pamphlets declaring "Death to America." The same words adorned posters at New York University.

Yet almost no "mainstream" media outlet devoted airtime or print space to expose the real, genocidal agenda of the protestors. Almost no student newspaper condemned it.

Except for a brave few ...

 **The Stanford Review**
Stanford's Independent Newspaper

 Julia Steinberg
27 Apr 2024

Stanford Protesters Collaborate with Marxist-Leninist Organization

As universities across the country are colonized (or decolonized, depending who you ask) by tent-cities of anti-Israel protesters, Stanford has rekindled its "sit-in to stop genocide."

The sit-in 2.0, a tent city in Stanford's White Plaza, is about 500 feet closer

Cornell Review

BREAKING | Cornell student groups blame Israel for Hamas attacks

Several student groups on campus, including Students for Justice in Palestine and the Cornell Progressives, issued a statement blaming Israel for the violence in the middle east.

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Protestors gather in front of Carpenter Hall on Wednesday afternoon. The protestors consented to being photographed. Media credit: Rodge Reschini/The Cornell Review

Wednesday afternoon, following the deaths of hundreds at the hands of Hamas terrorists, Cornell's Students for Justice in Palestine (SJP) and Arab Graduate Students Association (AGSA) [issued](#) a "Statement of Solidarity" on the ongoing conflict.

TFAS is the Answer

Expose the Radicals. Report the Truth.

Thankfully, several courageous student journalists entered the fray and told the truth about what was happening on their campuses — and the support they received from **The Fund for American Studies (TFAS)** and our **Center for Excellence in Journalism (CEJ)** and the **Student Journalism Association (SJA)** made all the difference.

Our young reporters reported from inside class buildings being overrun by protestors, with glass windows and doors shattering around them. They endured hateful taunts. And they lost friendships because of their willingness to expose the radicals and tell the truth.

Julia Steinberg at the *Stanford Review* fearlessly reported on antisemitic hatred on her campus, despite her peers' support for Hamas.

Rodge Reschini at the *Cornell Review* exposed a Cornell University professor's expressed delight at the brutality inflicted upon Israel by the terrorists.

And the *Columbia Sundial*'s Jonas Du made the rounds on national media after reporting on the 1:00 a.m. raid, shattered windows, and occupation of a building on Columbia's campus.

These and many other similar reports from TFAS supported students and newspapers made their way onto the pages of the *New York Post* and into stories on Fox News, Newsmax, and other national news outlets. Then HBO's Bill Maher joined the criticism, and the "mainstream" news could no longer ignore the violence and anti-Americanism on display at America's "elite" universities.



Jonas Du, Columbia University student and aspiring journalist at the *Columbia Sundial*, gained national media exposure for his reporting on the radical pro-Hamas protestors who shut down his university this spring.

“If our unique experiment in self-government is to continue, we must educate the next generation — of public servants, teachers, judges, businessmen and women, and more — in the founding principles and the long history that make America exceptional.”

FRED BARNES —
renowned journalist and
TFAS Trustee Emeritus

Courageous Leaders Returning Truth to Journalism

Exposing the protests is just the latest good work these courageous young leaders and intrepid publications are doing. They are working to end leftist indoctrination and restore sanity and true scholarship to America's campuses.

They're also revealing so much more of the "woke" agenda playing out daily at colleges and universities across the nation.

They're uncovering racial quotas still illegally and immorally imposed in college admissions.

They're detailing the pro-Marxist, anti-capitalistic mentality of so many professors at our "elite" universities.

Time and time again, they prove themselves to be willing to fight for right and against wrong, even in the face of massive ridicule.

But they're outnumbered. They need our help. They need support. And America needs many more fearless conservative journalists and courageous leaders like them.

The Fund for American Studies and our **Center for Excellence in Journalism** are leading the way.

The Fund for American Studies and the Center for Excellence in Journalism



“I can’t imagine how different my career would be without the Novak Fellowship. It enabled me to take a year of in-depth study and become knowledgeable on my beat. It helped me get placed in national publications and put me in contact with other fellows who answered my questions and helped me learn the ropes.”

MOLLIE HEMINGWAY –
Fox News contributor, Editor-In-Chief of *The Federalist*, and 2004 TFAS Robert Novak Journalism Fellow



“The threat to free speech on campuses is a problem for a society that seeks to resolve its differences through peace, through reasoned discourse, and to overcome differences without resorting to violence.”

ROBBY SOAVE –
Senior editor at *Reason*, host of *Rising on Hill TV*, and 2017 TFAS Robert Novak Journalism Fellow

Robert Novak Journalism Fellowship

We must take America’s campuses — our campuses — back from the radicals. Exposing them and telling the truth is a vital part of doing that.

The Fund for American Studies, with our powerfully effective **Center for Excellence in Journalism**, is one of the few organizations doing something about it — and doing it well.

With the help of our supporters, we’re creating opportunities for young people who honor American ideals and appreciate our freedom to build successful careers in the press. The **TFAS Center for Excellence in Journalism** is offering world-class news media training for students and young professionals nationwide, including:

Our **Robert Novak Journalism Fellowship** is named after the late great conservative political reporter and designed to nurture a new generation of responsible journalists like him. This fellowship is offered to promising writers at an early stage of their careers. Each year, we select six Novak fellows to chase down big investigative stories and pursue projects supportive of the principles of a free society, working for various media outlets, such as the *New York Post*, *Fox News*, *National Review*, *Washington Examiner*, *Reason*, and *Commentary*. To date, we have awarded more than 150 fellowships and nurtured the careers of groundbreaking reporters, editors, editorial page writers, columnists, and authors.

Rago Journalism Fellowships

Our **Rago Journalism Fellowships** are named in honor and memory of Joseph Rago, a Pulitzer Prize-winning member of *The Wall Street Journal* editorial team.

Two nine-month internships with *The Wall Street Journal*’s editorial team are awarded to the most promising candidates among recent college and journalism school graduates, as well as journalists with less than five years’ experience. TFAS Rago Fellows gain critical career-boosting experience editing op-eds and writing stories under their own byline; fact-checking and research; and so much more.

“Joe Rago was an exceptional writer with the rare ability to fuse wit, humor, and thoughtful commentary. I am humbled to accept a position in his memory ... These are writers unafraid to ask the hard questions and engage in the difficult conversations that lead to meaningful change ... I am honored to play a role in facilitating those conversations.”

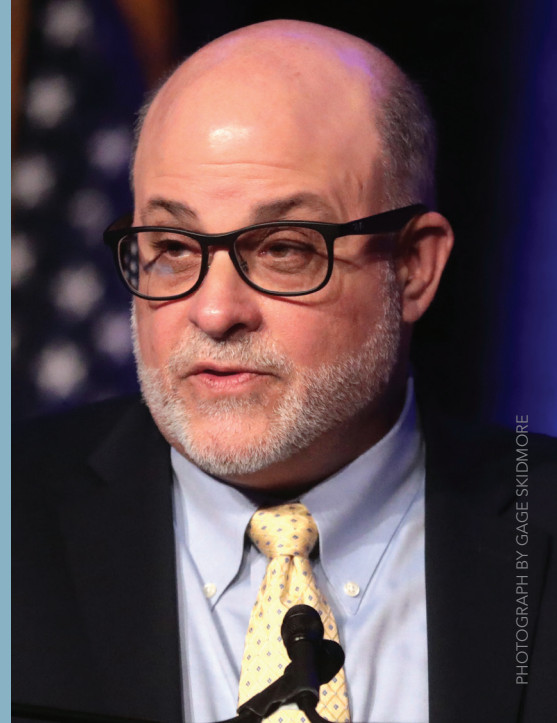
CARINE HAJJAR – Editorial Board member at *The Boston Globe* and 2022 **Joseph Rago Memorial Fellow for Excellence in Journalism**



“The Fund for American Studies is leading the way, making a difference in this country where it matters – and that’s in education.”

MARK LEVIN

Conservative talk radio personality, lawyer, bestselling author, and 1976 TFAS alumnus



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Student Journalism Association

Our **Student Journalism Association** is our chief means for developing the next generation of courageous journalists, supporting more ideological diversity in media, and promoting honest reporting.

We support campus publications and recruit students with a passion for writing at leading colleges and universities, and provide journalistic training through training seminars, conferences, and grants.

In our summer-long internship program, students studying journalism, communications, or public relations join us in the nation’s capital to gain an experience like no other — covering issues of national and international importance. Internships include: *National Review*, *Catholic News Service*, *The Hill*, *Washington Examiner*, *Washington Free Beacon*, *Daily Caller*, *Radio America*, *The Washington Times*, and many others.

Our **TFAS Student Journalism Association** currently partners with 18 conservative student newspapers across the country, providing them with the training, resources, and know-how they need to expose the insanity of the radical “woke” agenda on college campuses.



Claremont McKenna College **Claremont Independent**
 Columbia University **Columbia Sundial**
 Cornell University **Cornell Review**
 Georgetown University **Georgetown Review**
 Harvard University **Harvard Salient**
 New York University **NYU Review**
 Princeton University **Princeton Tory**
 Stanford University **Stanford Review**
 University of Chicago **Chicago Thinker**

University of Michigan **Michigan Review**
 University of North Carolina **Carolina Review**
 University of Notre Dame **Irish Rover**
 University of Pennsylvania **The Penn Post**
 University of Virginia **Jefferson Independent**
 Wake Forest University **Wake Forest Report**
 Washington and Lee University **W&L Spectator**
 Yale University **The Beacon**

Help Expose the Radicals, Report the Truth, and TAKE BACK OUR CAMPUSES!

The 2024-25 school year is just around the corner. And our brave young journalists need reinforcements right away. Will you help them?

Total 2024-25 School Year Goal..... \$1,000,000

Pre-School Year Summer Kickoff Campaign Goal..... \$450,000

TARGETED GIFTS

\$100,000

Joseph Rago Memorial Fellowship for Excellence in Journalism — Nine-month tenure at the *Wall Street Journal*

\$35,000

Robert Novak Journalism Fellowships — \$35,000 in grant money and expense assistance per fellow

\$12,000

Provides one college student with a full scholarship to an intensive university-level TFAS program.

\$3,600

Provides one high school student with a full scholarship to a TFAS program.

\$3,000

Initial investment in a conservative student publication (up to \$12,000 per year for clearing performance benchmarks).

\$1,000 • \$500 • \$150 • \$75, etc.

Such gifts will be gratefully combined with those from other patriotic supporters to help launch and provide aid to conservative student newspapers, fund various TFAS scholarships, and support other critical TFAS programs designed to secure a bright future for America.

Thank you for your consideration.

The 2024-25 School Year is **just weeks away** –
Please send your vital gift today!





“Today’s culture wars are fueled by media who promote a progressive, toxic agenda. The solution is to challenge the dominance of secular, progressive ideas, and TFAS is doing that by training conservative voices in the media. These young journalists will be the ones who combat media bias and bring a balanced view to important issues. The future of media is brighter because of the work TFAS is doing.”

DON DEVINE

Columnist for *The American Spectator* and President Ronald Reagan’s civil service director

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Since 1967, The Fund for American Studies (TFAS) has championed a core set of guiding principles. Individual liberty, economic freedom, personal responsibility, limited government, opportunity for all, the rule of law, and free and civil discourse. We believe these principles define the essence of the American Idea, having led to unmatched levels of prosperity and serving as a beacon to a better way of life.

But today our core principles — the essence of the American experience — are under assault. Especially by a rising generation of young Americans who are victims of an education system that has deprived them of basic knowledge of our country’s founding principles and unique place in history.

Many who love our country and cherish our freedom are alarmed at the challenges to our basic liberties and beliefs that would have been unthinkable just a short time ago.

TFAS has a message and a call to action for those concerned about our nation’s future. And that is: Turn your concerns into action.
Action in the form of supporting our unique programs.

Will you act today?

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